



**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 5
77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60604**

DATE: DEC 09 2019

SUBJECT: CLEAN AIR ACT INSPECTION REPORT
J&S Auto Sales, Blissfield, Michigan

FROM: Cody Yarbrough, Environmental Engineer
AECAB (MN/OH)

THRU: Brian Dickens, Section Chief
AECAB (MN/OH)

TO: File

BASIC INFORMATION

Facility Name: J&S Auto Sales

Facility Location: 7757 E. US 223 Blissfield, Michigan 49228

Date of Inspection: October 30, 2019

EPA Inspector(s):

1. Cody Yarbrough, Environmental Engineer

Other Attendees

1. John Courtright, Manager, J&S Auto Sales

Contact Email Address: JSautosales@hotmail.com

Purpose of Inspection: Emission control device tampering on vehicles and engines.

Facility Type: Vehicle repair and performance shop.

Regulations Central to Inspection: Emission control device tampering prohibitions. CAA Section 203(a)(3)(a)-(b).

Arrival Time: 2:15 PM, CDT

Departure Time: 2:45 PM, CDT

Inspection Type:

- ☒ Unannounced Inspection
☐ Announced Inspection

OPENING CONFERENCE

- ☒ Credentials Presented
☒ CBI warning to facility provided

The following information was obtained verbally from Mr. Courtright unless otherwise noted.

Process Description:

J&S buys, sells, and trades used pickup trucks. Most of the trucks are diesel. J&S also conducts minimal maintenance (oil changes, tire changes, etc.) on trucks before selling them.

Staff Interview: Mr. Courtright stated that many of the trucks J&S buys and sells have tampered emission control systems, but J&S does not do this work.

TOUR INFORMATION

EPA toured the facility: Yes

Data Collected and Observations:

Approximately 9 unlicensed pickup trucks with removed aftertreatment emission control systems were for sale on the lot.

Photos and/or Videos: were taken during the inspection.

Field Measurements: were not taken during this inspection.

CLOSING CONFERENCE

Concerns: Mr. Yarbrough expressed concern regarding emission control delete work. Mr. Courtright stated that J&S Auto Sales does not do this work.

SIGNATURES

Report Author: Cody Yarbrough Date: 12-5-19
Section Chief: Bobby DeLong Date: 12/9/19

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APPENDICES AND ATTACHMENTS

- I. Appendix A: Digital Image Log

APPENDIX A: DIGITAL IMAGE LOG

1. Inspector Name: Cody Yarbrough	2. Archival Record Location: <i>CD-R labeled "J&S Auto Sales Inspection Photos 10-30-19"</i>
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Image Number	File Name	Date and Time (CDT)	Description of Image
1	PA300081.JPG	2019:10:30 14:26:17	Truck 1 - Rear
2	PA300082.JPG	2019:10:30 14:26:28	Truck 1 - Exhaust
3	PA300083.JPG	2019:10:30 14:26:34	Truck 1 - Exhaust (2)
4	PA300084.JPG	2019:10:30 14:26:49	Truck 1 - Side
5	PA300085.JPG	2019:10:30 14:28:35	Truck 2 - Rear
6	PA300086.JPG	2019:10:30 14:28:44	Truck 2 - Side
7	PA300087.JPG	2019:10:30 14:28:57	Truck 2 - Exhaust
8	PA300088.JPG	2019:10:30 14:29:13	Truck 2 - Front
9	PA300089.JPG	2019:10:30 14:31:31	Truck 3 - Rear
10	PA300090.JPG	2019:10:30 14:31:46	Truck 3 - Side
11	PA300091.JPG	2019:10:30 14:32:01	Truck 3 - Exhaust tip
12	PA300092.JPG	2019:10:30 14:32:07	Truck 3 - Exhaust
13	PA300093.JPG	2019:10:30 14:32:18	Truck 4 - Rear
14	PA300094.JPG	2019:10:30 14:32:24	Truck 4 - Exhaust tip
15	PA300095.JPG	2019:10:30 14:32:37	Truck 4 - Exhaust
16	PA300096.JPG	2019:10:30 14:32:51	Truck 4 - Side
17	PA300097.JPG	2019:10:30 14:33:05	Truck 5 - Rear
18	PA300098.JPG	2019:10:30 14:33:15	Truck 5 - Exhaust
19	PA300099.JPG	2019:10:30 14:33:31	Truck 5 - Side
20	PA300100.JPG	2019:10:30 14:34:31	Truck 6 - Rear
21	PA300101.JPG	2019:10:30 14:34:38	Truck 6 - Exhaust tip
22	PA300102.JPG	2019:10:30 14:34:55	Truck 6 - Exhaust
23	PA300103.JPG	2019:10:30 14:35:21	Truck 7 - Rear
24	PA300104.JPG	2019:10:30 14:35:34	Truck 7 - Exhaust tip
25	PA300105.JPG	2019:10:30 14:35:40	Truck 7 - Exhaust
26	PA300106.JPG	2019:10:30 14:36:46	Truck 8 - Rear
27	PA300107.JPG	2019:10:30 14:36:53	Truck 8 - Exhaust tip
28	PA300108.JPG	2019:10:30 14:37:02	Truck 8 - Exhaust
29	PA300109.JPG	2019:10:30 14:37:13	Truck 8 - Exhaust (2)
30	PA300110.JPG	2019:10:30 14:37:30	Truck 8 - Side
31	PA300111.JPG	2019:10:30 14:38:04	Truck 8 - Hood
32	PA300112.JPG	2019:10:30 14:38:20	Truck 8 - Sale advertisement
33	PA300113.JPG	2019:10:30 14:38:34	Truck 9 - Rear

34	PA300114.JPG	2019:10:30 14:38:39	Truck 9 - Exhaust tip
35	PA300115.JPG	2019:10:30 14:38:54	Truck 9 - Exhaust
36	PA300116.JPG	2019:10:30 14:39:09	Truck 9 - Side